UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION AT DAYTON

TRAVIS CREACHBAUM,

Petitioner,

Case No. 3:20-cv-164

VS.

NORM ROBINSON, Warden, London Correctional Institution, District Judge Michael J. Newman Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

Respondent.

ORDER AND ENTRY: (1) ADOPTING THE REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE (DOCS. 3, 7); (2) OVERRULING PETITIONER'S OBJECTIONS (DOCS. 4, 8); (3) DISMISSING PETITIONER'S PETITION WITH PREJUDICE; (4) DENYING A CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY; (5) CERTIFYING THAT ANY APPEAL WOULD BE OBJECTIVELY FRIVOLOUS AND FINDING THAT IN FORMA PAUPERIS STATUS SHOULD BE DENIED ON APPEAL; AND (6) TERMINATING THIS CASE

This civil case is before the Court on the Report and Recommendations (doc. 3) and Supplemental Report and Recommendations (doc. 7) issued by United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (hereinafter referred to jointly as "Reports and Recommendations"), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b). *Pro se* Petitioner filed objections to both Reports and Recommendations. Docs. 4, 8. As required by 28 U.S.C. § 636(b) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b), the Court has reviewed the comprehensive findings of the Magistrate Judge and considered *de novo* all filings in this matter, including Petitioner's objections.

Upon careful *de novo* consideration of the foregoing, the Court determines that the Report and Recommendations (docs. 3, 7) should be adopted and that Petitioner's objections should be overruled. Accordingly, the Court: (1) **ADOPTS** the Reports and Recommendations of the Magistrate Judge (docs. 3, 7) in their entirety; (2) **OVERRULES** Petitioner's objections (docs. 4,

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8); (3) DISMISSES that Petitioner's petition (doc. 1) WITH PREJUDICE; (4) DENIES

Petitioner a certificate of appealability; (5) CERTIFIES that any appeal would be objectively

frivolous and that Petitioner should be denied in forma pauperis on appeal; and (6)

TERMINATES this case on the Court's docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: January 6, 2021 s/ Michael J. Newman

Michael J. Newman

United States District Judge